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VENDUE.

ON TUESDAY and FRIDAY, in every week, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be expoſed for ſale at the Vendue Store (corner of Prince and Water ſtreets)

A VARIETY OF

WET & DRY GOODS.

Of which the particulars will be given previous to the ſale.

The VENDUE MASTERS will always keep the Store open for the reception of GOODS, and ſelling of ſuch articles therein between the times of public ſales as may be on limitation. They likewiſe offer their ſervices in tranſacting any kind of Commiſſion Buſineſs.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

April 5th, 1796.

CARNE and SLADE

Have juſt imported by the brig Virginia, from Liverpool, a general

Aſſortment of Earthenware,

which they offer for ſale at their ſtore in Fairfax ſtreet, adjoining Ricketts and Newton's.

They have likewiſe on hand,

Twines and Threads, Iron Wire

Files and Raſps, Nails, a variety of Shoe and Knee Buckles, Anvils, Viſes. Pins, Tin Plate in boxes, Rolled Iron, Cammomile Flowers, &c.

April 22.

JOHN WHITE

Corner of Cameron and Fairfax Streets,

Reſpectfully informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Alexandria and its Vicinity, that he has received,

FROM LONDON,

A NEW AND ELEGANT ASSORTMENT

OF

PERFUMERY,

Which he will diſpoſe of on reaſonable Terms,

VIZ

Pots of Cowſlip Pomatum	Waſh Balls
Sticks of ditto ditto	Chymical Balls
Pots of Burgamot ditto	Violet Soap Balls
Sticks of ditto ditto	Patent Windſor Soap
Bottles of Burgamot	Cowſlip Soap in ſquares
Ditto Milk of Roſes	Shaving Powder
Lavender Water	Ditto Cakes
Smelling Bottles	Tooth Powder
Windſor Soap	Ditto Bruſhes.

New Druggiſt's Shop.

CHARLES DOUGLAS,

King-Street, 3 doors above Mr. Jeſſe Taylor's,

Has laid in an aſſortment of DRUGS. Thoſe who may apply, may be aſſured of being ſerved with compound Medicines, faithfully prepared, and with Drugs of the firſt quality.

Doctors, and others in town and country, ſending by letter may depend on their orders being punctually executed. Captains of ſhips ſupplied with diſpatch.

SURGEON's INSTRUMENTS—Capital pocket, teeth and looſe inſtruments—A few fine lancets—Mortars, &c.

Alſo, PATENT MEDICINES, &c. &c.

☞ Horſe Medicines prepared for all the various diſeaſes of that animal.

An[illegible]

FOR SALE,

Thirty hhds. of Molaſſes of excellent quality and in good order.

JAS. PATTON and JAS. DYKES.

April 21.

FOR SALE,

Two Lots of Land adjoining the houſe lately occupied by Mr. Richard Atell, deceaſed—They are each 23 feet front on Duke-ſtreet, and 83 feet deep. If not ſold at private ſale, they will be ſet up at auction the 1ſt of June next. The terms may be known by applying to Col. Hoge.

April 21. JOHN C. JONES.

TO RENT,

A large and convenient Store, with a Counting-Room and Kitchen compleat, on King-ſtreet. Poſſeſſion may be had immediately by applying to the ſubſcriber.

April 19. LAURENCE HOOFF

A few pounds of Nutmeg; French Brandy in pipes; Claret in boxes, five years old; Soap in boxes—For Sale on a moderate Credit, by

Francis Vivent.

April 12. t. f.

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PUBLIC MEETINGS.

NEW-YORK, APRIL 19.

At a meeting of committees appointed by the New York and United Inſurance Companies, and by the individual underwriters in this city, held purſuant to public notice—

Reſolved unanimouſly, as the ſenſe of theſe committees, That during the preſent critical and alarming ſituation of public affairs, it will be inexpedient for the inſurance companies and individual underwriters in this city, to enſure American property againſt capture or detention by any foreign power, or the conſequences thereof.

Reſolved, That the Preſidents of the ſaid two companies, and Mr. Plank, be a committee to communicate the above reſolution to the underwriters in the ſeveral ſeaports of the United States, in ſuch manner as they ſhall think moſt proper, and to correſpond with them upon ſuch matters as may affect the common intereſt of the inſurers. JAS. WATSON, Chairman.

BALTIMORE, APRIL 22.

Purſuant to notification, a meeting of the merchants and traders was held at the Exchange on Wedneſday, when Meſſrs. William Patterſon, Archibald Campbell, Thorowgood Smith, and Jeſſe Hollingſworth, were appointed a committee to draw up a Memorial to Congreſs on the ſubject of the Treaty with Great Britain. It was ſimilar to that paſſed in Philadelphia; was unanimouſly concurred in, and ſubſcribed by a large body of reſpectable citizens.

At a more numerous meeting of the Mechanics and Manufacturers of Baltimore Town, precincts, and Fells Point, than was ever known on any occaſion, in conſequence of public notice given in the papers by the Managers of the Mechanical Society.

WILLIAM JESSOP in the chair.

Reſolved, *unanimouſly*, That this meeting have full confidence in the Houſe of Repreſentatives in their legiſlative capacity, and that a letter expreſſive of that confidence be forwarded to them.

Reſolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be lodged in the hands of the ſecretary of the Mechanical Society.

Reſolved, That the thanks of this meeting be given to the Chairman.

GEORGE-TOWN, APRIL 22.

Proceedings of a numerous Meeting of the Citizens of George-Town, held yeſterday;

At a meeting of the citizens of George-Town, held the 21ſt day of April, 1796, in conformity to a previous public notice being given, in order to conſider the exigency of expreſſing their wiſhes upon the ſubject of the treaty with Great Britain.

John Maſon was unanimouſly appointed Chairman.

William H. Dorſey was appointed Secretary.

It was then moved and agreed, that Meſſrs. *Thomas Sim Lee, Benjamin Stoddard,* and *Triſtram Dalton,* be appointed a Committee to report to this meeting ſuch reſolutions as they may think proper upon the ſubject of this meeting.

The Committee, above appointed, brought in the following report:—

The Committee report the following Memorial as proper to be ſigned by the citizens of George-Town, to repreſent to the Houſe of Repreſentatives of the United States, through the repreſentative of this diſtrict; to be tranſmitted to him by the Chairman of the meeting.

"To the Houſe of Repreſentatives of the United "States, the Memorial of the ſubſcribers, Citizens of "George-Town, in Montgomery County, and State of "Maryland, ſheweth.

"That, apprehending that the national character for "good faith, may be injured, and the peace and happi"neſs of the United States, interrupted, by heſitating to "carrying into execution the treaty lately negociated be"tween the United States and Great Britain, your Me"morialiſts reſpectfully, but earneſtly, pray that the ne"ceſſary laws may be enacted for carrying into full ef"fect the ſaid treaty."

Which ſaid report, being read, was unanimouſly adopted, and directed by the meeting to lie upon the table for the ſignatures of the perſons preſent.

JOHN MASON, Chairman.

W. H. DORSEY, Secretary.

Citizen Lenier, a French writer on the new conſtitution, when tracing the character which he ſhould wiſh the man to poſſeſs who is to be charged with the executive functions, and painting, as perhaps he thought, a mere ideal character, has drawn that of the *Preſident* with ſuch truth and accuracy that all who read it muſt own it ſo. [*Charleſton Paper.*]

"To a great *firmneſs* of character, to a fund of wiſdom acquired by long experience from buſineſs and men, he ſhould join that conciliatory ſpirit which tempers the paſſions, ſtifles contentions, and rallies all private intereſts, round the common intereſt of liberty, juſtice, and order. His name muſt never have been attached to any of thoſe parties which have rent the republic, and left in many hearts fears and reſentment. He muſt have paſſed the revolution without having diſhonoured himſelf by its errors, or given occaſion for ſuſpicion of ambition or intereſted intrigue. He muſt have rendered ſuch eſſential ſervice to the republic, as to merit great eſteem without having created in the minds of his countrymen, any inquietudes or jealouſies. He muſt be no ſtranger to the exterior relations, the ſcience of which tends to maintain *the peace of the ſtate abroad*, nor to the knowledge of interior adminiſtration, which ſecures tranquility at home. In a word, to principles of integrity which are proof againſt any attack, he ſhould add good and ſound principles of liberty, and a pure and enlightened patriotiſm."

Extract from an anſwer of the Grand Jury to Judge Iredell's charge at a Circuit Court of the United States for the Diſtrict of Pennſylvania.

Much miſconception, and much unfounded alarm exiſted as to one of theſe treaties, namely, that with Great-Britain. But we can from a knowledge of the people, among whom we live, truly ſay that the ſubject being now better underſtood by thoſe, who were alarmed and deceived, has produced a deſire in the minds of the great body of the people, that this treaty as well as the others may without delay be carried into effect. And we expreſs our own, and we confidently believe the wiſhes of the great majority of this diſtrict, when we hope no impediment may be thrown in its way by our repreſentatives, ſo far as their agency is neceſſary to effectuate its objects. Were his nation in a condition to dictate a compact, one might have been made exactly to our mind—but we believe this treaty is the beſt which under all circumſtances could be obtained. It places great points of controverſy, either of which might have produced war, in a train of amicable adjuſtment; and in our opinion, it is one among the many wiſe and firm meaſures purſued by our patriotic Chief Magiſtrate, which have a decided tendency to perpetuate the unexampled proſperity, with which the great diſpoſer of events has been pleaſed to bleſs our dear and happy country.

From the MORNING CHRONICLE,

A violent oppoſition Paper.

AMERICA.

The Amſterdam Packet, Henderſon, is arrived in Clyde, from New-York, and brings American newſpapers to the end of December. The intercepted letters of the French Ambaſſador, Fauchet, taken in the Jean Bart, has been publiſhed. From them it appears that Fauchet had been very inſtrumental in fomenting the late rebellion in the Weſtern States againſt the government, and that he had endeavored to raiſe a party to overthrow the government of the United States. In this plot were involved, the Secretary Randolph and other leading men of the States. Fauchet, upon the diſcovery of this letter, had very prudently made his eſcape from America.—Randolph had reſigned.

The French party was ſtrong in Virginia; but notwithſtanding all the intrigues of the French faction to overturn the conſtitution, a very great majority of all the ſtates, among whom were almoſt all the reſpectable people, were reſolved firmly to ſupport the conſtitution. In moſt of the ſtates reſolutions had been paſſed, highly applauding the conduct of their venerable Preſident Waſhington, reprobating the inſidious arts that had been uſed againſt him, and approving of the Treaty of Amity and Commerce betwixt Great Britain and the United States, as mutually beneficial to both countries.

In Fauchet's diſpatches, above alluded to, is the following remarkable paſſage;—"It appears to me that theſe men (the popular ſocieties,) with Randolph at their head, were beginning to decide on their party. About two or three days before the proclamation was publiſhed in the Weſtern States, Mr. Randolph came to ſee me with an air of great eagerneſs, and made to me the overtures of which I have given you an account in my No. 6. Thus, with ſome thouſand of dollars, the Republic could have decided on civil war, or on peace! Thus the conſciences of the pretended patriots of America have already their prices."

CHARACTER OF THE STADTHOLDER.

Written by Mrs. Radcliff in 1794.

"The Stadtholder, who has had the misfortune to attract ſo much attention by his difficulties, is ſaid to be a man of plain manner and ſound underſtanding, neither capable of political intrigue, nor inclined to it.

as His office requires, especially during a war, a great deal of substantial personal labour, to which he always devotes himself earnestly and continualy; but which he has not the vigor to bear, without an evident oppression of spirits.

"We saw him at a parade of the guards, and is it not necessary to be told of his labours, to perceive how much he is affected by them.

"It is scarcely possible to conceive a countenance more expressive of a mind, always urged, always pressed upon, and not often receiving the relief of complete confidence in its efforts. His person is short and extremely corpulent—his air in conversation modest and mild. He comes accompanied by one or two officers, and his presence produces no crowd. Of his humanity and temper there was sufficient proof in 1787, when he returned to the Hague, and was master of those who had lately banished him."

For Norfolk,

THE SLOOP

MARY,

Burthen 250 Barrels, and now lying at Ramsey's Wharf.

For Freight or Passage apply to the Master on board.

April 26.

James Kennedy,

DRUGGIST,

HAS just received, and now for sale, a general assortment of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Shop Furniture, Assorted Vials, Spices, Dye Stuffs, &c. White Lead, Spanish Brown, Yellow Ochre, Venetian Red, and Green Paint Ground in Oil; White and Red Lead, Spanish Brown, and Yellow Ochre Dry.—He has likewise on hand Madeira, Port, and Sherry Wines of a good quality, in Casks and Bottles. All of which he will dispose of on reasonable Terms for Cash or on a short Credit.

A Lot of Ground,

Adjoining the House in which Colonel Simms now lives,
To be Sold or Ground rented.
April 26.

Lands for Sale.

ONE Tract of Land containing 600 acres, lying in the county of Northumberland, about 15 miles from the court-house of that county, situated on the great Wicomico river, near the place where it enters into the Chesapeake Bay, and commands a beautiful and extensive water prospect. It is quite level, fertile and extraordinarily well watered, and equally healthy with any other part of the Northern Neck. There are 200 acres, or near that quantity of the land opened, and there is on the same a good peach and apple orchard. The remaining 400 acres is covered with uncommonly fine timber, which is very valuable as it lies so immediately on the bay and consequently must answer the purpose of ship building. From this land the purchaser may have a great convenience of carrying his produce to market, as there are a great number of sea ports towns contiguous to it. Land in Fauquier county will be received in exchange for that above described.

The subscriber has also 120 acres of Land for sale in Culpepper county, adjoining the land of Col. William Stanton's; there is on the Land small plantations cleared, the rest is all wood, there is also on the same an excellent seat for a Grist or Saw Mill on a good Stream and the greatest abundance of Pine and Oak, suitable for Plank, and the Land lies about 25 miles from the Town of Fredericksburg, and on a branch of Rappahannock River, this situation is a very healthy and salubrious part of the country and in a very agreeable vicinity, two very essential necessaries to be considered as a purchaser of Real Property. The terms of selling this Land may be known by application to the subscriber living near Fauquier Court House, and the terms of selling the Northumberland Tract may be known by application to Mr. Thomas Edwards of Brevington's neck.

WILLIAM BELL.

April 23.

ADAM LYNN,

GOLD and SILVERSMITH, ENGRAVER, &c.

HAS opened a shop in King street, next door to Mr. Peter Wise's, where he makes, in the neatest and most fashionable manner, all kind of Gold and Silver Work, viz. Gold Lockets, Rings, &c. Silver Coffee Pots, Tea Pots, Sugar Dishes, Cream Pots, Goblets, Tumblers, Table Crosses, Salts, Spoons, &c.

He flatters himself, from his attention to business and the quality of his work, to be able to give general satisfaction to his customers.

The highest price for old Gold and Silver.

High proof Jamaica Rum,

And

Muscovado Sugar,

For Sale by

FLETCHER and OTWAY.

I will take two young gentlemen

of agreeable manners and good dispositions, to the study of medicine.

ELISHA C. DICK.

The Columbian Mirror

AND

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

MR. PRICE,

AS a well-wisher to the Town of Alexandria, it gave me pleasure to see the very proper manner in which the account of the two Town Meetings upon the subject of the British Treaty was related in your Paper. Being only a calm spectator of them both, I was perhaps better enabled, than those whom temporary passions had operated upon, to judge of the general opinions of the persons principally concerned in them.

It is much to be lamented, no doub, that the little jealousies, which former contentions have given birth to, cannot die away without even a remaining struggle; and that any thing like suspicions should remain in the breasts of people, who seem, in general, so justly to rely upon the virtue and good sense of each other.

It requires no great forecast to discover, that the prosperity of this town, and of its supporting back country, are bottomed upon the peace and union of America, and that no part of that union is more interested than it is, in these important objects. Citizens and foreigners have alike admired the increase of the commerce, the wealth, and the improvement of Alexandria for these few years past, and there cannot be a doubt, but that the operation of a government, which may be truly said to have invigorated its almost expiring efforts, will carry it to that pitch of prosperity which its sanguine friends have predicted for it. That the Treaty, concluded between the United States of Great Britain, should be carried into effect with good faith on our part, was the general wish of the inhabitants of Alexandria. Relying on the wisdom, the patriotism, and firmness of an executive which has never deceived them, they were willing to resign the pressure of partial evils to the security of more permanent objects. Whilst the rising tide of prosperity was rolling down upon them and their fellow-citizens the wealth and improvements of other nations, they felt it worse than madness to chill its course by the coldness of distrust, or stop its progress from the idle anticipation of future and eventful calamity. Impressed with these feelings, their sentiments were in unison, although their proceedings were a little discordant; and the true friend to Alexandria, to Virginia, and to the Union, will rejoice to find the Southern sentiment, here at least, so different from what it has been elsewhere represented. The pleasure felt on this occasion, gave real joy to many, and to none more than to the

CALM SPECTATOR.

REPORT

Of the committee to whom was referred the resolution respecting the expediency of preventing for a limited time the exportation from the United States, of Indian corn or corn meal, rye or rye meal.

"That in some parts of the United States, owing to an unfavorable season the last year, and other causes there exists a scarcity of the articles mentioned in the resolution; but that generally there is a plentiful supply. That, notwithstanding the price of those articles are high, yet they do not generally exceed the present enhanced prices of labor and other articles; that recent information of the state of foreign markets in Europe and other countries, does not authorise the expectation of any considerable exportation of those articles from the United States; that many of the principal seaport towns appear to be well supplied with the articles in question, not only sufficient for their own consumption, but in such abundance as to be able to supply other parts of the United States, where a scarcity exists; and, from the information received by the committee, it is probable those makets will be resorted to, as affording a prospect of better prices than can be expected from foreign markets. The committee also find that merchant mills and stores in several parts of the interior country, are well supplied with very considerable quantities of the articles mentioned in the resolution, as well as with wheat and flour; that the prices of the latter have fallen very considerably within a short time past. The committee, therefore beg leave to submit to the house the following resolution, viz.

"Resolved, that it is inexpedient to prohibit the exportation of Indian corn, corn meal, rye, or rye meal."—This report was agreed to by the house.

From the Gazette of the United States.

To any printer in Philadelphia, whose liberality of sentiment may lead him to believe that a few disinterested ideas on a certain occasion are worth a place in this paper, the following remarks are respectfully addressed, and that without any partial attention to the common course of political opinions; it being a reasonable supposition that particular cases may sometimes occur, in which even different sides may shew a disposition to promote the general welfare. Of this I could produce an instance, if necessary; but shall now proceed to what I have in view on the present occasion.

The public papers of late have been so remarkably occupied with the debates of Congress, that I should not wonder if any parts of the debates were but little known to a number of those who are even the customers for one or more of the daily papers; and of course there may be some things passed over in too light a manner, which are exceedingly interesting, and particularly so to the cause of honour and humanity. Of this sort, I believe that some of the remarks relating to the natives of the land are of the first rank, in the scale of reason and justice. How pleasing it is to see one of the members of Congress expressing himself in the following forcible manner:

"The God of Nature had given them the land, and he was sorry to hear any gentleman on that floor call their right to it in question. He would ask who were the proprietors of this country previous to its being known to civilized nations? (as they were called) were not those people? and had they not always been in the peaceable enjoyment of it? Who gave us a right to call their title in question, or forcibly to thrust them out? They had (he said) suffered enough from the fraud and violence of those, who, since the discovery of America, had been seeking to dispossess them of their land, and he hoped no one in that House would wish to take from them what little of their inheritance remained in their possession. He had (he said) been charged with advocating the cause of Indians; but he little regarded what was said on that head; His object was, not only quiet to the Indians, but security also to the peaceable, well disposed inhabitants on the frontiers, who had families, and were exposed to resentment and retaliations."

After those and a number of other pointed remarks, the same honorable member read an extract of a letter from Governor Blount, in which he expresses a wish for the future peace and happiness of his fellow citizens, and acknowledges it is his opinion, that he who preserves peace with the Indians thereby serves the Indians, but it is equally true that by the same act he in a much greater degree serves the frontier inhabitants. Such sentiments are honorable, in my opinion, not only to the gentlemen of the name of Hillhouse, but also to every member of the House of Congress who, willing to give a due attention to such sentiments, demonstrate a just idea of the rights of other men.

Whether or not these observations will be ever printed is not for me to know; but I am ready to imagine, that if they were thrown up in the wind, and should light near an Indian wigwam at any distance, and one of the interpreters should read them to the natives in their own language, they would shew such marks of approbation, as would more than compensate the said interpreter for his trouble:—and if such a circumstance should be known to the present writer, he might also partake with the interpreter in such amusements with pleasing satisfaction.

AN INDIVIDUAL.

By last night's Post.

NEW YORK, APRIL 20.

At a meeting of the Merchants and Traders of the city of New-York, convened by public notification at the Tontine Coffee-House, on Tuesday the 19th of April, 1796.

Gulian Verplanck, in the Chair.

IT WAS RESOLVED, *As the opinion of this meeting, That the Resolution preferred in the House of Representatives of the United States by Mr M'Clay against making provision for the Treaty lately concluded with Great Britain, affords just cause of anxiety and alarm; and that it is expedient to present a respectful address to that house, expressive of the sentiment that it deeply concerns the commerce, agriculture, peace, and honor of the United States—that provision be made for the execution of the said treaty with punctuality and good faith.*

That it is also expedient to appoint a committee for corresponding with the other trading towns in the United States, and also with the other counties of this state on the above mentioned subject.

That Gulian Verplanck, James Watson, Edmund Seemen, William Nelson, Moses Rogers, John B Coles, Isaac Clason, John Thurston, Thomas Pearsal, and Cornelius Ray, be the said committee, and that they be instructed to appoint a suitable number of characters to proceed through the different wards of the city, to obtain the signatures to the said address of all those of our fellow citizens who shall agree in the opinion of this meeting.

And thereupon the following address having been produced, read, and considered, the same was agreed to by the meeting.

By order of the meeting,

Gulian Verplanck, *Chairman.*

TO THE

Honorable HOUSE of REPRESENTATIVES of the UNITED STATES, now convened.

We, the undersigned, Merchants, Traders, and other Citizens of the City of New-York, being of the number of your constituents and deeply interested in the issue of every public measure that can affect the essential interests of our country, find ourselves impelled by that consideration, to address you on the subject of certain resolutions, now depending in your house respecting the Treaty made with Great Britain, which fills our minds with very serious apprehensions, which have already given occasion to very serious embarrasments, and which in our opinion threaten very extensive and complicated evils—the whole magnitude of which it is not easy to foresee or to calculate.

Whatever difference of sentiment may at any time have existed among us respecting particular public measures, yet on this occasion and at this time, we all unite in one opinion—and that opinion is, that the abovementioned treaty ought to be provided for, and executed on the part of the United States with punctuality and good faith.

We forbear to enter into the question what are the boundaries of the constitutional authority of the several branches of our government on the subject of this address; but however these may stand, we are convinced after full and mature deliberation, that no existing considerations are of sufficient weight, to render it advisable to refuse making provision for the execution of the said treaty, at

that it deeply concerns the Agriculture, Commerce, peace, Character and Honor of our Nation, that such provisions shall be properly made.

The complete execution of the treaties with Great-Britain, Spain and Algiers, by extinguishing all matters of controversy and war, which have heretofore exited between us and any foreign powers, appear to us a point of the greatest consequence to this young and rising country—affording a prospect of durable peace; and of an uninterrupted progress to that maturity and strength, which will enable us to defy the enmity of foreign powers, without those immense sacrifices which war in our present situation must inevitably produce. And though we shall be at all times disposed to encounter with the spirit and fortitude of FREEMEN, the calamities of a war, necessary as well as just, we could not but look forward with extreme regret and dissatisfaction to one, of which either the justice or necessity was doubtful.

Thus impressed, we respectfully offer our sense of the momentous subject to the solemn and dispassionate consideration of the House of Representatives; firmly trusting that no impartial views or impressions will interfere with the true interest of our country; that its peace will be carefully cherished; and that its faith and honor will be preserved inviolable and unblemished.

The accounts by the Port Mary, from Liverpool, do not bring the prospect of a peace in Europe much nearer than our former advices. Negociations were still talked of, put no facts appear to be sufficiently established, on which to form a conclusive opinion respecting their result. The preparations in Austrian Flanders, among all parties. indicate an immediate renewal of hostilities in that quarter, and we do not perceive in any other, any strong evidences of approaching tranquility.

BALTIMORE, APRIL 23.

The following letter to SAMUEL SMITH, Esq. our representative from this state, and address to the House of Representatives, from the Mechanics and Manufacturers of Baltimore Town and Precincts, was unanimously agreed to, and sent forward as the general sense of the above class of citizens, convened for that purpose.

SAMUEL SMITH, Esq.

SIR,

We have with pleasure taken notice of your attention to the interest of your constituents, by labouring to preserve the constitution inviolate in the late discussion in the House of Representatives; and we beg your acceptance of our thanks therefor—At the same time request the favour of you to lay before your honorable body the enclosed paper, as expressive of our entire confidence in the wisdom of the house, as to the measures proposed to be adopted.

Signed by order and in behalf of the Meeting.

WM. JESSOP, Chairman,
WM. HARRIS, Clerk.

Baltimore, April 21, 1796.

To the Honorable the House of Representatives of the United States.

The Mechanics and Manufacturers of Baltimore Town (convened by public notice on Thursday the 21st of April, 1796) beg leave respectfully to state, that they have observed with great concern, the instructions and remonstrances addressed to your honorable body from this and other commercial towns, upon the subject of the treaty lately made with Great Britain, and that they appear calculated to have an improper influence on the representatives of the people: and although they consider that treaty in many respects highly injurious to the interest and honor of the people of the United States—yet when they view the subject in the hands of the guardians of the people, whose interests are the same with their constituents and whose wisdom they conceive fully adequate to a proper decision on the subject, they feel an *entire confidence* that their representatives will adopt such measures as will be most conducive to the prosperity of the United States; and they will acquiesce in, and support such measures as Congress may deem expedient.

Signed by order and in behalf of the Meeting.

WM. JESSOP, Chairman.
WM. HARRIS, Clerk.

BOSTON, APRIL 25.

FROM LISBON, FEB. 11.

The weather has been remarkably bad for some time past—and many vessels have suffered damage. We have had two very severe earthquakes, but they did no material damage. The first was the 17th ult. a few moments past five in the morning—the motion of which continued for near a minute. The last, on the 27th ult. just before five in the morning, which was followed by several trifling ones.

J. D. BULKELEY,

To the Boston Printer.

HUGH SWEENY

Respectfully informs the Public, that he has commenced Business in the Store lately occupied by George Sweeny, in King-street, where he offers for sale a neat and general assortment of DRY GOODS, suitable for the present season. He expects an additional supply in a few days from Philadelphia.

N. B. I will rent the Dwelling Apartments of my House, and also a Warehouse and Stable. Possession to be given immediately.

April 19. HUGH SWEENY.

Alexandria, April 26.

The Resolutions, mentioned in the following Letter, are inserted in our First Page, under the head of New York.

New-York, April 18, 1796.

SIR,

BY the foregoing Resolutions, which have received the unanimous assent of the two Insurance Companies, and the Individual Underwriters, you will perceive the general uneasiness that prevails in this city on the present alarming aspect of our public affairs. We hand them to you, in order that they may be communicated to the Underwriters in your port, and have the honour to be respectfully,

SIR,

Your most obedient
Humble Servants,

NICHOLAS LOW.
President of the United Insurance Company.
ARCHIBALD GRACIE.
President of the New York Insurance Company.
GULIAN VERPLANCK,
In behalf of the Individual Underwriters of the City of New York.

William Wilson, Esq.
Alexandria.

At a Meeting of the Underwriters in this Town, on the 25th of April, 1796, to take into consideration a Letter and Resolutions of the Underwriters of New York.

Resolved Unanimously, That this Meeting approve of the Resolutions entered into by the Insurance Companies and Individual Underwriters of New York, on the 18th instant, not to insure American property against capture or detention by any Foreign Power, or the consequences thereof, during the present critical and alarming situation of public affairs.

Resolved unanimously, That the Chairman return the thanks of this Meeting to the Committee of New York for communicating these resolutions, and that because their Letter, together with the foregoing, to be published in the Alexandria News-Paper.

WILLIAM WILSON.
CHAIRMAN.

NOTICE.

THE Members of the MECHANICAL RELIEF SOCIETY OF ALEXANDRIA will please to attend their Annual Meeting, at the Council Chamber, on Monday the 2d of May, at 12 o'Clock precisely.

As officers will then be elected for the ensuing year, a full meeting is requested.

WILLIAM SUMMERS,
April 26. SECRETARY.

ANATOMY.

Dr. WIESENTHAL

TAKES this early occasion to notify to STUDENTS of MEDICINE that he intends to open his course of ANATOMICAL LECTURES, next fall in Baltimore.

No pains will be spared to render this course the most complete and beneficial. It will comprehend every thing necessary to the acquisition of an exact knowledge of the structure and physiology of the human body: its *Pathology*, so far at least as is requisite to the elucidation of *Organick Diseases*—Surgery, in which all the capital operations will be demonstrated, and the method of applying bandages—And the PHYSIOLOGY of ULTEROGESTATION.

The study of these subjects will be facilitated by a variety of elegant anatomical preparations.

Dr. Wiesenthal can accommodate several students in his shop, where they will derive advantages rarely obtainable in this country. Besides the benefit of attending the public lectures, they will have private demonstrations and instructions, the use of a collection of the best books, and a competent opportunity of acquiring a knowledge of the practice of physic.

Baltimore, Gay-Street No. 40.

Public Notice.

To ——

THOSE who dispose themselves to become the highest bidder of Real Estates belonging to the Succession of Citizen John Baptiste Petit, deceased, in this town, are notified that Margueritte Vautorbeil, widow of said Petit, is now dwelling in France. She by the Laws of Paris, chapter X. sections 220, 229, 247, & 248, has half part of all personal and real estates of said succession for her dower, besides a mortgage according to her marriage articles. In consequence all receipts and payment done without the authority of the Vice Consul of the French Republic at Alexandria, to such persons and on what pretext soever, for the said succession, shall be contrary to the consular convention, done between France and the United States of America the 14th of November, 1788.

P. A. GHERUI.

April 26.

PUBLIC SALES.

On Wednesday, the 27th Instant, at 10 o'Clock,
WILL BE SOLD,
at the Vendue-Store,
All the estate of the late Thomas Wilson, deceased, Merchant Taylor, consisting of

Two Watches & a Time Piece,

Broad Cloths, Cassimeres, Florentines, Jaconet and Book Muslins, Linens, Stockings. A variety of Slop Work, such as Coats, Vests, Shirts, and Trowsers. Household and Kitchen Furniture, &c.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

April 26.

FOR SALE.

Valuable Property in the Town of Alexandria.

On Tuesday the 3d of May next, at 9 o'Clock in the Afternoon, will be sold by Public Vendue,
ON THE PREMISSES,

THAT valuable lot, the corner of King and Water Streets, bounded on King-street 31 feet 5 inches, and in depth on Water-street 82 feet, to a 10 feet alley leading from Fairfax to Water-street, aforesaid, on which is erected two large and commodious Warehouses.

Also, another lot adjoining thereto; and lying Westward of the above, fronting on King-street 31 feet 5 inches, and in depth 82 feet to the alley, on which there is a Cooper's shop,

And Also, another Lot of equal dimensions with the above, and lying Westward of the lot last mentioned, on which there is no buildings.

The situation of those lots are equal to any in Alexandria for public business—the title indisputable—and the property clear of ground rent and all other incumbrances.

The purchase money to be paid in three instalments, viz. one third in 60, one third in 90, and one third in 120 days. Notes negotiable in the Bank of Alexandria, with approved Indorsers; to be given for the payment thereof, on receiving of which the titles will be made to the Purchasers.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

April 26.

INDIA
NANKEENS
FOR SALE BY
Mandeville and Jamesson.

April 26.

A Cook Wanted.

TO an applicant who is complete in his business, and can produce good recommendation, salary will not be a consideration. *Apply to the Printer.*

April 26.

LOTS FOR SALE,

IN FEE SIMPLE,
ON SEVERAL STREETS IN THE TOWN OF ALEXANDRIA.
For Terms apply to
JESSE TAYLOR.

March 17.

Sail Duck and Canvas.

WE have just received a quantity of Bremen Sail Duck and English Canvas of the first qualities, which we will sell very reasonable for cash or flour.

HEPBURN & DUNDAS.

April 8, 1796. 3wep.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of HUGH REED, deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have any accounts against the said Estate are requested to bring them in for settlement, to

ROBERT LYLE,
April 21. ADMR.

To be Rented,

From the first of May to the middle of April following
THE Store-House, Granary and Kitchen we at present occupy. For further particulars apply to
THOS. and WM. WREN.

Centerville, April 19.

GOOD STRONG BEER,

From the Little Falls Brewery,
FOR SALE BY
Robert Young & Co.

April 16.

FOUND.

A Piece of IRISH LINEN, in such a situation as to cause a suspicion of its being stolen. The owner may apply to

April 19. J. W. FLETCHER.

FROM THE CENTINEL.

[MR. RUSSELL—*Reading the Meſſage of* THE PRESIDENT *of the United States, on the Treaty Papers, my mind was inſtantly ſtruck, that the paſſage of* ADDISON, *deſcriptive of his Roman Cato, is more applicable to our* FABIUS MAXIMUS, *than to him who ſhrunk from danger, by ſelf-deſtruction.*]

THOU haſt ſeen Mount ATLAS,
Though ſtorms and tempeſts thunder on its brow,
And Oceans break their billows at its feet,
It reſts ſecure and glories in its height—
Such is this God like Man—
Through all the ſhocks and injuries of party,
He riſes ſuperior, and dares do his duty.

AMERICANUS.

Polkenhorn & Andrews

IN PRINCE-STREET,
Between Fairfax and Water Streets,
Have juſt received by the Ship Siſters from London,
And now open for ſale,
A HANDSOME ASSORTMENT OF

SADLERY,

VIZ.

PLATED.

Guard, Weymouth, Pembroke, Pelham, Sharp, and Snaffle Bits.
Mens' and Womens, Stirrups.
Head, Throat, and Elliot Buckles.
Tips and Slides.
Martingale Hooks and Rings.
Tuft Nails, Staples, and Plates.

STEEL.

Mens' Stirrups.
Martingale Hooks.
Head, Throat, Collar, Girth, and Stirrup-Leather Buckles.

SILVERED.

Tuft Nails, Staples, and Plates.
Elliot Buckles, Tips, and Slides.

TINNED.

Men's and Women's Stirrups.
Pelham, Sharp, and Snaffle Bits.
Inlet, Girth, Flat, & Stirrup-Leather Buckles.

WEBBS.

Worſted, Girth, Linen, Fox-Hunter, Straining Diaper, & Boot.

FASHIONABLE.

Hunting, Jockey, and Twig Whips.
Rattan, Wangyee, Cane, and Artificial Walking-ſticks.
A few dozen high finiſhed Piſtols.
An elegant Pair of Engliſh Phaeton and Chaiſe Harneſs.

April 21, 1796

THE SUBSCRIBER
HAS FOR SALE,
At the ſtore lately occupied by Richards and Edmonds,
For approved Negotiable Notes at the uſual Credits.

Modes ¾ and yard wide
Silk Handkerchiefs
Barcelona Do.
Perſians
Ribbons, plain & figured
Galloons
Coloured Threads, No. 12 & 14.
Sewing Silks and Twiſt
Dyed and White Pillow Fuſtians and Jeans
Iriſh and Home-made Linens
Slates and Pencils
A few Crates of aſſorted Engliſh Glaſs
Long and Short Pipes, in Boxes
Queen's Ware aſſorted
2000 Buſh. Liverpool Salt
282 do. do. Coal.

HUGH SMITH.

April 21. tf.

Notice.

THE Stockholders of the Bank of Alexandria, will pleaſe to take notice, that the 4th payment of 50 dollars, on each ſhare of the augmented ſtock, will be payable on Thurſday the 5th of May next, and are informed that any Bank Notes from Philadelphia to Alexandria will by taken in payment.

By order of the Preſident and Directors,
GURDEN CHAPIN,
April 21. CASHIER.

ADVERTISEMENT.

THE Street Commiſſioners give Notice, that they are deſirous of contracting for the Pavement to be done in the Town during the enſuing Summer. The Commiſſioners will provide the Stone, Sand, Brick, and Gravel: the Sand and Gravel they will depoſit on the ſpot where wanting; and the Stone as near the places where they are to be uſed as circumſtances will admit of. The Contractor muſt furniſh his own attendants, and ram the pavement in a proper manner. The ſtone muſt be properly aſſorted, the largeſt in the centre, and the next in ſize to follow on each ſide, the ſmalleſt to be placed next to the gutters. Thoſe who may wiſh to engage in this buſineſs will ſend in to the Commiſſioners the terms upon which they will lay a yard ſquare of pavement, ſealed up, on Saturday, the laſt of this Month, the Commiſſioners will attend at the Council Chamber at 12 o'Clock to receive theſe propoſals.

JAMES KEITH.
GEORGE GILPIN.
RICHARD CONWAY.

April 23.

Blank Bonds for ſale at the Printing Office.

SPRING GOODS.

James M. M'Crea & Co.

HAVE had an arrival at Baltimore of part of their Spring Importations, which they expect round in a few days; and the remainder are expected daily in different Veſſels from London and Liverpool. The whole will form an aſſortment of well choſen, and well bought

SPRING GOODS,

Which they will have opened for ſale at their Store on Fairfax-Street, by the Piece or Package only, on very moderate terms for Caſh, or at the uſual Credit to punctual Cuſtomers.

April 5.

☞ A large and commodious STORE, in a good ſtand for Buſineſs, to let. Enquire as above.

John G. Ladd

Has for ſale at his Warehouſe in Prince-ſtreet, on reaſonable Terms for Caſh or approved Notes payable at the Bank of Alexandria.

White Lead, in barrels and ſmaller caſks.
Red Lead, ditto ditto.
Spaniſh Brown, ditto ditto.
Brimſtone and Copperas, do. ditto.
8 by 10 & 6 by 8 Window Glaſs in Boxes.
Chocolate in do.—Candles in do.
A few caſks 6d. cut and 20d. wrought Nails.
Liſbon and Madeira Wine, in Quarter caſks.
Brandy in Pipes.—Northern Rum in Barrels.
Molaſſes in hogſheads.—Sweet Oil in Caſes.
Pepper and Pimento in bags.—Caſſia.
Caſtile Soap in boxes.—Cotton and Wool Cards in do.
Ladies Morocco and Stuff Shoes.—Ruſſia Sheetings.
Ravens Duck.—American do. *Rhode Iſland fabric.*
Iriſh and German Linens.—India Cottons, &c.

April 19.

Perrin and Brothers

HAVE juſt received from France, and now offer for ſale, the following

Aſſortment of Goods:

LUTESTRINGS of elegant colours; black ſattin of the beſt quality; black do. ſtriped; black mode; a general aſſortment of French Ribbons; black and white laces; umbrellas; fans; black prunellas;

Bolting Cloths,

from the beſt Italian Manufactories, which they will warrant to be good; Brown Sugar in barrels; a few caſks of Brimſtone.

April 19.

W. J. HALL,

HAS RECEIVED,
By the Ship Sally, James Croudhill,
Part of his Spring Goods,
And hourly expects the Arrival of the principal part.
NOW ON HAND,

Broad and Narrow Hoes,
Nails from 4d. to 20d.
Hatts by the Box.
Porter by the Caſk.
Earthen Ware.
Seine Twine,
Window Glaſs.
Grindſtones.

And ſundry articles adapted to the Seaſon.
Which will be ſold at the moſt reaſonable advance
BY WHOLESALE.

April 12.

SPRING GOODS.

BY ſundry conveyances the ſubſcriber has received his Spring Importation of DRY GOODS, with an aſſortment of

Hardware, Ironmongery, &c.
AND ALSO
London Bottled Porter,

both of the Brown, Stout, and Mild qualities in caſes hogſheads and hampers,

JOHN MANDEVILLE.

April 12th

SPRING GOODS.

Joſeph Riddle & Co.

HAVE this day received, and are now landing, from on board the Expedition, Captain Boyle, from London, an extenſive aſſortment of

LONDON GOODS,

Purchaſed by one of the Firm at the different Manufactures, which they will offer for ſale, by the Piece or Package, at their Dry Good Storehouſe on Swiſt's-alley, oppoſite Meſſrs. Patton and Butcher's Iron-Store. They daily expect the remainder of their London Goods by the ſhip Siſters, and an aſſortment of Hardware by the ſhip Alexandria from Liverpool.

April 5.

TO BE LET—*For a term of years,*
That large and commodious brick dwelling houſe and ſtore, on Prince ſtreet, lately occupied by Mr. Orr.

J. D. ORR.

For LONDON,

The faſt ſailing Ship,

MONTEZUMA,
Thorndick Chaſe, Maſter,
(*A conſtant Trader*)

Having moſt of her cargo engaged, ſhe will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, and has elegant accommodations for paſſengers. For Freight or Paſſage apply to Mr. JONATHAN SWIFT, Alexandria, or

WILLIAM & JOHN TAYLOR.

Baltimore, April 7.

THE Partnerſhip of PETERSON & TAYLOR hath diſſolved by mutual conſent. Thoſe to whom they are indebted are requeſted to bring in their accounts for payment: and thoſe indebted will pleaſe to make payment to the ſubſcriber, who is authorized to ſettle ſaid Co-partnerſhip.

April 23. GEORGE TAYLOR.

WHO HAS

For Freight or Charter,

THE BRIG

Fair Columbian.

Burthen about 1300 Barrels.

She is juſt off her firſt Voyage, and every way compleat and ſtaunch. G. T.

John V. Thomas

HAS JUST IMPORTED A GENERAL COLLECTION OF WELL CHOSEN

BOOKS,

Part of them in very elegant Binding;
Which he will diſpoſe of at Reaſonable Prices, at his Store between Wiſe's and M'Knight's Taverns.

Travels to diſcover the Source of the Nile, by James Bruce, 6 vols.—Collection of Voyages round the world, containing Capt. Cook's 1ſt, 2d, 3d, and laſt voyages; together with Voyages by Byron, Wallis, Mulgrave, Anſon, &c. 6 vols.—Rollin's Antient Hiſtory, 10 vols. Plutarch's Lives, 6 vols.—Crevier's Hiſtory of the Roman Emperors from Auguſtus to Conſtantine, 10 vols. Memoirs of the Reign of George III. King of Great Britain, to the Seſſion of Parliament ending 1793. by W. Belſham, 4 vols.—Goldſmith's Hiſtory of the Earth, and Animated Nature, 8 vols.—The Beauties of the Engliſh Drama digeſted alphabetically, 4 vols.—Hawkſworth's collection of voyages, 4 vols.—Raynal's Hiſtory of the Settlement and Trade of the Eaſt and Weſt Indies, 6 vols.—Mrs. Radcliff's Journey through Holland, the Weſtern Frontier of Germany, with a Return down the Rhine, in 1794, &c.—The Univerſal Traveller, containing a full and diſtinct account of all the Empires, Kingdoms, and States, in the known World; compriſing an intereſting detail of the Manners, Religion, Learning, Arts, Commerce, &c. &c. of all the Countries that have been viſited by Travellers or Navigators, from the beginning of the world to the preſent time: with near 90 Maps, Plates, &c. 1 vols. folio. By J. Carver.—Sketches, chiefly relating to the Hiſtory, Religion, Learning, and Manners of the Hindoos, 2 vols. Stearne's Works, 8 vols.—The Literary Magazine from 1788 to 1794, 12 vols.—Memoirs of Charles Lee.—Anecdotes of the Life of the Rt. Hon. William Pitt, Earl of Chatham, with his Speeches in Parliament, 2 vols.—Peter Pindar's Poems, 3 vols.—Ruſſel's Antient Europe, 2 vols.—Cavallo on Electricity, 2 vols.—Elegant Family Bible, with 50 Copper Plates.—Bibles, Teſtaments, Spelling Books, and Primmers, cheap by the quantity.—Bell's Travels through Ruſſia, &c.—Rollin's Roman Hiſtory in French, 16 vols.—Hume's Elements of Criticiſm, 2 vols.—Tatler.—Spectator.—Mirror.—Buchan's Family Phyſician adapted to the American Climate, by a Phyſician of Philadelphia.—The American Atlas, elegantly engraved on 49 large Copper-Plates, 1776.—Smollet's Miſcellaneous Works, 6 vols. Gordon's American War, &c. &c.

LIKEWISE THE FOLLOWING

STATIONARY.

Writing Paper of every deſcription; for Acct. Books, Deeds, Drawing, Letters, &c.—Wrapping Paper of different ſizes.—Playing Cards, Engliſh and American. Ink-Powder, black and red.—Pocket Books.—Ink ſtands of various kinds.—Sealing Wax and Wafers.—Counting-Houſe Files.—Quills and Pen Knives.—Aſs' Skin Memorandum Books.—Lead Pencils.—Pocket Thermometers.—Guitar and Violin Strings of the beſt kind, and Violin Bows and Bridges.—Scales and Dividers.—Reeves's Superfine Water Colours.—Drawing Books.—Blank Cards for Printing.—Charts of the Britiſh Channel, Coaſt of Germany, and other parts.—India Rubber.—Bonnet Papers.—Paper Hanging.—Prints.

Book-binding in all its Branches.

April 19.

I WILL SELL,

AT PRIVATE SALE,
My Houſhold and Kitchen
FURNITURE.

Any Perſon who may wiſh to purchaſe, between this and the 10th of May next, will pleaſe to apply, in my abſence, to Mr. James Miller.

D. EASTON.

March 22.

SUPPLEMENT TO THE COLUMBIAN MIRROR.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1796.

Lots and Houſes FOR SALE.

ALL that valuable Property belongingto Elizabeth Donaldſon will be ſold at Public Vendue, to begin at the Lotts on King-ſtreet and Royal-ſtreet, at three o'clock in the afternoon of the 26th Inſtant, and when the ſale there is finiſhed, the ſale of the Lots on Duke-ſtreet will begin. The firſt has ſeveral Houſes on it, and is in the moſt public part of the Town. Thoſe on Duke-ſtreet are riſing faſt in value as that is expected to be one of the principal inlets to the town.

The terms of ſale are, one-fourth down, one-fourth in ſix months, one-fourth in twelve months, and one-fourth in eighteen months, from the day of ſale.

Moſt of this property is under Leaſe for one year to come, ſome of it leſs. The purchaſers will get a deeds with a good title, on payment of the firſt inſtalment, and have the benefit of the Rent unexpired on the leaſe. As the property will in all probability amount to a conſiderable ſum, good ſecurity is expected for the differen nſtalments.

If any perſons wiſh to bargain for the whole of the Lots on King-ſtreet, or thoſe on Duke-ſtreet, before the day of ſale, they will pleaſe to call on the ſubſcriber, who is fully impowered to treat with them; and ſhould a ſale take place in a private way, the public will be informed.

April 16. WM. HARTSHORNE.

N. B. Will be ſold on the ſame day a Houſe and Lot in King-ſtreet, in tenure of Brian and Timothy Sullivan. W. H.

Thompſon and Veitch

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,

By the Jane and Eliza and the Parkman from Liverpool, and the Siſters from London,

A VERY LARGE AND GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

Goods ſuited to the ſeaſon;

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

HARDWARE,

Which are now opening at their Warehouſe in Fairfax Street, and for ſale by the Piece or Package only.

They have alſo a number of well aſſorted

Crates of Queen's Ware,

AND

Pipes in Boxes.

April 9.

The Knight of Malta, AND Young Gift.

THE firſt is an imported Jack from the Iſland of Malta; the other comes from a Jenny of the ſame iſland, and got by the large Spaniſh Jack ROYAL GIFT, and is now four years old. They will cover at Mount Vernon, at FOUR POUNDS the ſeaſon (eſtimating the Dollar at Six Shillings) and Half a Dollar o the Groom.

AT THE SAME PLACE,

Traveller,

A dark bay Horſe, in his prime, full fifteen hands high handſomely formed and marked, and more than three quarters blood, will cover at FORTY SHILLINGS (Dollars as above) and Half a Dollar to the Groom.

Very good paſturage to be had at Half a Dollar per week for each Mare or Jenny. The fences are good and the whole within an exterior one of poſt and rail which contributes much to their ſecurity; but againſt thefts and eſcapes there will be no warranty.

No accounts will be raiſed for the covering of theſe animals, of courſe the whole Coſt muſt be paid at the ſtand before the Mares are taken therefrom.

April 1. WILLIAM PEARCE, MAN

Contracts for Cut-Stone.

SUCH Stone cutters as chooſe to contract for cut-ſtone, wanted for the Locks at the Great Falls, may by application to me at the City of Waſhington, or at the Great-Falls of Potomack, know the ſcantling as alſo the terms of contract

N. B. A bond and aſhler is prepared for the inſpection of any perſon diſpoſed to give in propoſals.

C. MYERS,
Enginier to the Potomack Company.

City of Waſhington, April 19.

Notice.

ALL Millers ſending Flour to this market, are requeſted to be more particular in the ſize and quality oft heir barrels than heretofore.—As ſome are yet at a loſs to know the ſize required, I here ſet it down, to wit. 27 inches in length, and 17 inches diameter in the head—they are likewiſe requeſted to be uniform in their brands—in addiiton to the diſtinguiſhable brand of their mill, No. 2, 196 with ſuperfine in full on all they judge of that quality. Thoſe who do not comply with the above directions muſt expect to pay the penalties preſcribed by law. D. DOUGLASS, Flour Inſpector.

Alexandria, Feb. 14, 1796. 3m

JUST COME TO HAND,

And to be ſold at my Houſe in King-Street,

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

China Tea Ware.

LIKEWISE,

Queen and Stone Ware.

ALSO

Glaſs Ware of Different Kinds.

ALSO,

Rum, Wine, Brandy, Gin, Tea, Coffee, Nutmegs, Cloves, Mace, Pepper, Allſpice, Ginger, Chocolate, Muſtard, Rice, Molaſſes, White and Brown Sugars, Mould and Dipt Candles.

April 12. JOSEPH THORNTON.

JOHN BRYAN,

Saddler, Cap and Harneſs-maker,

RESPECTFULLY informs his cuſtomers and the public in general that he continues to carry on his buſineſs in its various branches at his ſhop in Kingſtreet, and hopes from his attention to buſineſs, the quality of his work, and moderation of his prices, to be able to render ſatisfaction to thoſe who may pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom. He has upon hands an aſſortment of Mens' and Womens' Saddles with furniture ſuitable hereto; waggon, cart and dray harneſs, &c.

N. B. He has conſtructed fire buckets on a more approved plan than thoſe commonly in uſe—thoſe gentlemen who wiſh to furniſh themſelves with ſuch may be ſupplied on application as he has a number now ready for ſale.

March 8, 1796. 2 w. 2 m.

I WILL GIVE

TWELVE DOLLARS PER HUNDRED

FOR

HEMP.

JAMES IRVINE.

March 17.

THE COPARTNERSHIP OF

Ford, Patton & Co.

HAVING this day expired, and diſſolved by mutual conſent, they requeſt all thoſe indebted to the concern at Alexandria, to make immediate payment to Robert Patton, Jun. and Charles R. Scott, who are duly authoriſed to pay and receive all debts due by, and to the concern, and alſo thoſe indebted to their ſtore at *Port-Tobacco*, to make immediate payment to John E. Ford, who will receive and diſcharge all debts due to and from that ſtore.

JOHN E. FORD,
ROBERT PATTON, Junr
CHARLES R. SCOTT.

Alexandria, April 12.

Robert Patton & Charles Scott,

BEG leave to inform their friends and the Public, that they intend to be regular in their importation of DRY GOODS: and have received by the Ship Siſters, from London, a ſmall part of their

SPRING GOODS,

And are in hourly expectation of the remainder, by the firſt veſſels from London and Liverpool, as they were all ſhipped in February.

April 14. t. f.

Blank Bills of Laden and Exchange for Sale at the Printing-Office.

Houſes and Lots for Sale.

In obedience to a commiſſion iſſued out of the Honorable Court of Chancery for Fairfax County to us directed, will be expoſed to Public Sale, on Thurſday the 5th day of May next, at 3 o'clock P. M. on the Premiſes,

A CERTAIN part of a Lot and Portion Ground, lying and being on King-Street, adjoining Mr. James Kennedy, containing 38½ feet, and in depth 34 feet; on which is a two ſtory Brick Houſe, and a one ſtory frame do. and in a good ſituation for buſineſs, ſubject to an annual ground rent of £. 19. 5s. 6d. as alſo to the dower of Margaret Pettit, widow of John Baptiſt Pettit, deceaſed. The further Terms and Conditions will be made known at the time and place of ſale, by

A. FAW,
AND
J. M. PERRIN. } Comm'rs.

April 9.

Bank of Alexandria,

JANUARY 22, 1796.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subſcription Book is kept open at the Bank for the purpoſe of receiving ſubſcriptions to the augmented ſtock, and will continue open until the whole number of ſhares are filled up.

By order of the board,
GURDEN CHAPIN, Caſh'r.

N. B. Any Bank paper from Philadelphia to Alexandria, will be taken for the mony to be paid at the time of ſubſcibing.

William Bowie,

TAYLOR and HABIT MAKER,

BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public, that he has remov'd to Prince ſtreet, two doors above the poſt-office.

He returns his grateful acknowledgments to his friends for their liberal encouragement, and begs leave reſpectfully to ſolicit a continuance of their favours.

Thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who may pleaſe to favour him with their commands may have any article in his line made up and finiſhed in the neateſt and moſt faſhionable manner.

N. B. The houſe in Fairfax ſtreet, next door to the nevel office, to let—for further particulars enquire abve or to Mr. Lanty Crow near the premiſes.

February 11. 3m.

COLUMBIAN LAND OFFICE.

THE FOLLOWING LANDS ARE FOR SALE, VIZ.

2,000 acres of prime land, in Maſon County, lying on the South ſide of the River Ohio, eight miles below the mouth of Big Sandy.

100,000 acres lying in the County of Kanhawa, on the waters of the big Sandy River.

200,000 Acres of Land lying in Bath County, on both ſides of the Cow Paſture and Jackſon's River,

5000 acres of land lying in the county of Botatourt, on the navigable waters of James River.

284 acres of land in Prince William county, within one mile of Dumfries. Beautifully improved.

All the above Lands will be conveyed with general warrantee, by chatacters indiſputable, and a full deſcription of them may be ſeen at the above office.

The price and terms of payment will de made an object to thoſe who wiſh to purchaſe.

BOWNE, HAMILTON, & Co.

April 14.

ROBERT HAMILTON

HAS FOR SALE,

Sherry and Calcavella Wines

IN QUARTER-CASKS.

A few Hundred Buſhels of

JAMES RIVER COAL,

And a few Puncheons of

4th Proof Jamaica Rum.

March 29.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

36 hhds. Molaſſes
20 pipes Tenériffe Wine
10 caſks London bottled Porter.

J. B. NICKOLLS.

April 5.

BEST LONDON

BOTTLED PORTER,

IN CASES.

AND FOR SALE BY

JOHN MANDEVILLE,

March.